Cafeteria Information for 2022-2023 School Year

WASD had some flexibilities during COVID so we could serve all students free meals. Some of those options expired, so we can no longer serve all meals free anymore.

Elementary Lunch: \$2.85, Middle & High School Lunch: \$3.10, Student Breakfast: \$1.95.

Instead, families will do what they did before COVID. WASD will take applications and use family income to qualify kids for free, reduce-price, or paid meals. Paper applications are available; however, parents/guardians can complete the online school meal application. The websites for the online school meal application is <u>www.schoolcafe.com</u> or <u>www.compass.state.pa.us</u> Please be sure to include all school age children (pre-K through 12th grade) on one family application. For more information: <u>https://www.fns.usda.gov/cn/2022-23-parent-faqs</u>

The Wallenpaupack Area School District food services uses a computerized cash register system in our school cafeterias. This system gives parents the advantage of depositing money into their student's account. The money can be used for any additional purchases during breakfast and lunch in the cafeteria. This eliminates the hassle of remembering to send money every day and takes the worry out of carrying cash. Upon school registration, students will be issued a student identification number (Student ID). This number links the student to his/her school lunch account.

There are several ways to deposit funds into your student's account:

Send check or money order in an envelope clearly marked with your student's name, ID, and grade. Make checks and/or money orders payable to **Cafeteria Fund**.

There is an online payment system at <u>www.schoolcafe.com</u> Food services strongly recommends this option as it will assist parents in keeping their account up to date. Registration/Access to your student's account is free, however, there is a 5% convenience fee for electronic payments. **STEPS TO CREATE AN ACCOUNT AND ADD STUDENTS:**

WWW.SCHOOLCAFE.COM

- 1. Click: Need to create an account or contact us?
- 2. Select state: PA then enter the name of your school district Wallenpaupack Area School District
- 3. Go to my district
- 4. Create a new account
- 5. Register click "I am a parent"
- 6. Click next
- 7. PA
- 8. WASD
- 9. Click next
- 10. Step 4 You must create your own username and password
- 11. Accept terms & conditions and click create my account
- 12. Click box Add a student
- 13. Enter student ID
- 14. Choose the school your student attends
- 15. Search & verify student
- 16. Add this student
- 17. You will then receive an email with a code to verify your email account do not forget this step!

Please be sure to have your email on file in your student portal as well as on <u>www.schoolcafe.com</u> in order to receive cafeteria balance notifications.

Contact Heather Fedoryk, Director of Food Services, at 570-226-4557 ext. 3011 with any questions.

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